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- Preliminary Amendments filed on 04/02/2007
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 04/02/2007
- Oath or Declaration filed on 04/02/2007
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 12/23/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/23/2005
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Applicant's response filed 04/02/2007 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 02/01/2007 have not been completed.

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- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - The second inventor, Jean-François CHALUMEAU (which appears on the updated version of the cover page of the international application), was not listed on, and therefore has not signed, the declaration

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